Application No. 10/719,667 Response dated September 15, 2005 Response to Restriction Requirement dated August 19, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed August 19, 2005, in which the Examiner required restriction between two groups of claims:

- (I) claims 1-10 and 13, drawn to compound;
- (II) claims 11-12, drawn to process.

In response, applicants elect Group 1, claims 1-10 and 13, without traverse. Applicants expressly reserve their right under 35 USC § 121 to file a divisional application directed to the nonelected subject matter during the pendency of this application.

If the Examiner has any questions concerning this communication, or would like to discuss the application, the art, or other pertinent matters, he is welcome to contact the undersigned attorney at (650) 251-7702.

Respectfully submitted,

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